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SUBJECT: INTERNATIONAL WHEAT AGREEMENT, CHINA REPRESENTATION ISSUE

REFS: STATE 21919; YORK/BOERNER TELCON

1. IWC HAS RECEIVED FOLLOWING CABLE FROM PEKING:

"I HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED BY THE MINISTER OF FOREIGN TRADE OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA TO STATE TO YOU THE FOLLOWING POSITION: IT IS A WELL-KNOWN FACT THAT AFTER THE CHINESE PEOPLE OVERTHREW THE REACTIONARY RULE OF THE CHIANG KAI-SHEK CLIQUE AND FOUNDED THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA IN 1949, THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA IS THE SOLE LEGAL GOVERNMENT OF CHINA. THE CHIANG KAI-SHEK CLIQUE, WHICH HAS BEEN SPURNED LONG AGO BY THE CHINESE PEOPLE, HAS NO QUALIFICATION WHATSOEVER TO REPRESENT CHINA IN ANY INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION. THE CHIANG KAI-SHEK CLIQUE USURPED THE REPRESENTATION OF CHINA IN THE INTERNATIONAL WHEAT COUNCIL AND PUT ITS SIGNATURE TO THE INTERNATIONAL WHEAT AGREEMENT. THIS IS ENTIRELY ILLEGAL. THIS ABNORMAL STATE OF AFFAIRS MUST BE PUT RIGHT. THE INTERNATIONAL WHEAT

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COUNCIL SHOULD TAKE IMMEDIATE ACTION TO EXPEL THE REP-

RESENTATIVE OF THE CHIANG KAI-SHEK CLIQUE FROM THE ORGANIZATION."

2. PAROTTE ADVISES THAT CABLE WILL BE CONSIDERED BY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AT ITS MEETING FEBRUARY 20, 1974 AND HE EXPECTS REPORT FROM COMMITTEE TO BE AVAILABLE FOR CONSIDERATION BY COUNCIL UNDER AGENDA ITEM 3 (MEMBERSHIP) NEXT DAY, FEBRUARY 21ST.

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